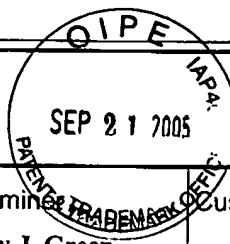


**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
EL-8218

In Re Application Of: **BRADFORD et al.**



Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/717,443	11/21/2003	Anthony J. Green	23453	1755	8058

Invention: **IMPROVED PAINT FORMULATIONS CONTAINING HECTORITE COMPOSITIONS**

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 04/18/2005 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

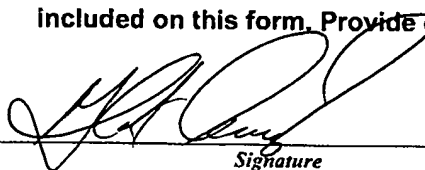
☐ One month    ☒ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: July 18, 2005    until: September 18, 2005  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$450** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **18-1160**
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **18-1160**
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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*Signature*

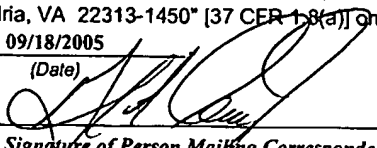
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